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Subject: Report to Commission – Citizen Action Letter Regarding National Education Association, PDC Case No. 02-282

Dear Attorney General Gregoire:

At its April 9, 2002 Commission meeting, PDC staff was prepared to report to the Commission its recommendations concerning the Citizen Action Letter filed with the Office of the Attorney General by Ms. Jeanne Brown, on behalf of the Evergreen Freedom Foundation and others, against the National Education Association (NEA). The Citizen Action Letter was forwarded to the PDC for review and investigation.

PDC Staff completed a Preliminary Report of Investigation and prepared a memorandum to Commission members concerning Staff's findings and recommendation. However, on April 8, 2002, the Evergreen Freedom Foundation filed a complaint in Thurston County Superior Court under the provisions of RCW 42.17.400(4) against the NEA.

Therefore, the Commission took no action and made no recommendations concerning Ms. Brown's Citizen Action Letter.

If you have questions, please contact me at 586-4838.

Sincerely,

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